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To: Holland Shepherd  
From: Neil A. Simmons

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December 19, 1991

Mr. Neil Simmons  
U.S. Bureau of Land Management  
900 North 700 East  
Price, Utah 84501

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DIVISION OF  
OIL GAS & MINING

Dear Neil;

This letter is a follow up on our meeting, at the bentonite quarry we are operating in Emery County, on December 18, 1991.

We request permission to expand the quarry area by 60 X 30 feet (900 square feet) as shown on the drawing I gave you yesterday. The reason this addition is important to us is the bentonite is a better quality in this area, just under the Cedar Mountain formation. We want to blend the entire cross section that is exposed in our plan of operation so as to have a top quality, uniform product over a long period of time.


Also, we request permission to use a Kolberg screen on the site to remove some fines from the material that we haul away for processing. The Kolberg consists of a 30" X 60' belt conveyor with a two deck screen mounted under the discharge end of the conveyor. There are two 40' stacking conveyors to take fine and coarse material away from the screen.

We are planning a test run of material as soon as possible. The approval of the expanded quarry area is more important to us than the Kolberg screen, so please don't hold up the approval on the expanded area because of the screen. The tonnage for this test run will be under 2,000 tons.

We will notify Emery County and the Utah Division of air quality of our desire to do some screening at the site.

Please let us know as soon as possible your response to our request.

Sincerely,



Neal Mortensen,  
Stan Jackson & Associates

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